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**MEMORANDUM FOR:** [REDACTED]

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**Charlie:**

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1. Although I am not one for the mechanical approach, I think maybe the time has come to accept that we work in a massive bureaucracy and try to make use of the system. To supplement what we now get in the way of feed-back, case officer weaknesses which can to some extent be remedied by training, and generally useful information, from our various informal contacts, I suggest we consider a book dispatch to explain recent changes in ops training and the need for current dialogue about field problems so that we can continue to revise and improve training. How much this should be a survey-type exercise or questionnaire, I'm not sure, but I'm impressed by the info we have from the recent SEA telepouches and I think we need more of this - and not just on [REDACTED].

2. In the same dispatch we could sneak in a reference to the CS nature of training (40 some officers on rotation) and I'd like to put in a plug for the best use of ALT training.

3. If you agree perhaps this is something Dick the Rat and Sam the Risky could draft.

4. I would like to resist any move to expand it to cover language training, the Grid, and cross-cultural confusion.



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Automatic downgrading and  
declassification

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